

Incognito

The Story of a Royal Marriage

By MAY C. ETHERIDGE

"I am tired," said Prince Adolf, "of having people gaze at me whenever I appear."

"Your Royal Highness," said an enigma, entering, "a man has been brought to the palace by the police charged with impersonating the prince. I am willing to believe that those who arrested him cannot be certain whether he is or is not an impostor. What orders shall I give as to his release?"

"He is much like me!"

"So nearly that had he not been going to a wedding in constant attendance upon your highness, could not tell him from you."

Bring him to me."

The man disappeared and in a few minutes entered, conducting the man in question. The prince started at the marvelous resemblance to himself.

"Why have you personated me?"

said the prince.

"Your Royal Highness."

"How would you like to personate me for a consideration?"

"At your royal highness' service."

The prince made a deal by which this man, Shuster, was to personate

the man he had so much resembled, and the wedding should not be, so it was arranged that Shuster and the princess' representative should be married first, and then the prince and the woman whom he would consent to the match. The day before the royal marriage, was one of intense excitement, for the man he had agreed to marry had come to trouble by marrying a princess while pretending to be a prince. But it was agreed that he would make all right, assuring the man of his personal protection.

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A few of those most intimate with the princess' representative were sent to the ceremony. All watched the proceedings with great gusto. Nothing could be more interesting than a marriage between two commoners, and the whole world was interested in the result.

Many comments were passed on the pair, the most frequent of which was that, though commoners, they were well matched in size and dignity of a person of the blood royal.

The group had stipulated that he should take his bride whether so no one pleased and no questions asked.

So when the pair had come to the wedding, the man he had agreed to marry had come to trouble by marrying a princess while pretending to be a prince. But it was agreed that he would make all right, assuring the man of his personal protection.

That night the prince disappeared in the dead of night, and the next day he found a note stating that his name was Herman Shuster. He had personated the prince till just now, but he had jilted her he had married a commoner. This was a blow to his highness, who had decided to end his life in the real prince. He had fallen in love with the princess' representative and married her.

He had been a most notorious swindler and had swindled many a poor man to the tune of a thousand dollars.

The king of the country had recently died and left the throne to his daughter.

The young queen was much beloved.

She had married the real prince.

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Bow Island Review

W. E. COTTON, Proprietor.

Bow Island, Alberta

A newspaper published in the interests of Bow Island and the surrounding district.

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Local & General

W. H. Bickel left on Wednesday for Calgary.

W. G. Mathers and wife spent last week-end at Lethbridge.

J. H. Creighton and wife left on Wednesday for Manitoba, where they in future will reside.

Howard Wilson was a visitor on Wednesday from Medicine Hat.

Miss Nellie Powell of Iron Springs, Alta., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Lomas.

B. T. Whitney shipped out a caravan of horses to Saskatchewan on Wednesday.

E. C. Lauder returned on Monday from a visit to Calgary and Lethbridge.

Birth—On Monday, the wife of H. Smith of a son.

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K. M. Holcroft, who has been visiting down east, returned on Wednesday.

R. S. Beattie has been appointed Secretary of the Board of Trade in place of E. G. Allen resigned.

A meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this evening for the purpose of discussing an advertising booklet.

The municipal natural gas wells at Medicine Hat show a net profit on operations for the year 1913 of \$72,000.

The gas by-law carried on Monday by a majority of 32. Only two recorded their votes against.

H. O. Gilrie and wife left on Wednesday for the coast where they will spend a couple of months previous to visiting in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnes, of Barnesdale, St. Catherines, Ont., were the guests for a few days last week of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. S. MacLaren.

Several of our townpeople are figuring just now on buildings, and it is likely quite a few will go up during the next month or two.

The street lamps that were destroyed in the recent blizzard have now been replaced, and Bow Island once more "lights the west."

M. A. Hardie, Dr. Blackburn, J. G. Carson and Mr. Hamilton, autographed from Burdett on Tuesday in Mr. Hardie's car and attended the Masonic Lodge.

H. E. Beattie, who with his wife has been visiting at his home at Amherst, N.S., returned to Bow Island on Monday. Mrs. Beattie will remain down east for a time.

Foller & Smith shipped out two cars of hogs this week one from Foremost. This makes a total of fourteen cars of hogs shipped out by this firm since the beginning of January.

Bartlett and Gransie, surveyors of Medicine Hat, were engaged here last week surveying the route of the pipe line from the municipal gas well into town.

W. Overpack, of the Bow Island Sewer Pipe and Tile Co., who has been on a business trip to the States, is expected to return to Bow Island the end of the week.

An illustrated lantern service will be given in All Saints' church on Sunday evening next.

at 7:30 p.m., conducted by Rev. A. W. Swayne. Everybody heartily invited.

The Citizens' Lumber Co. commenced this week transforming lumber from their yards on Main Street to south of the track, where they recently acquired property for the purpose.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of All Saints' Church will visit Grassy Lake to-day where an address will be given by Mrs. Mussell Wright. Sunnyside and Burdett are also expected to send delegates. A reception will be held afterwards at the residence of Mrs. E. J. James Davis.

A bazaar under the auspices of the Methodist church will be held in the LOE Hall on St. Patrick's Day (Tuesday, March 17th). Refreshments will be served both afternoon and evening. Admission free to all. Music afternoon and evening.

Dr. Paterson received by wire on Monday the sad news of the death of his mother. She had, we understand, been ailing for some time from heart trouble, and her death was not altogether unexpected. The news, nevertheless, was a severe blow, and the doctor has our entire sympathy in the great loss which he has sustained.

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The meetings of the Town Council have hitherto been held in the office of the Secretary, but the work of the town has increased so rapidly and so largely that accommodations are a necessity. The Town Council was hampered in its work at the meetings, and there was no room for raters who had to be present. Hence it was decided to erect another building, one that would be under the town reached that stage of development as to warrant the erection of a large Town Hall.

The new building is 10 x 21, and will be used for the office of the Secretary and any reasonable number of the citizens that care to present themselves.

It is expected that the structure will be completed next week.

Send your Printing to the Bow Island and you will get satisfaction.

Doondale.

Olef Jackson started for the Hat last Thursday but after a few miles of trail breaking, turned back, giving up the attempt.

Russell Bishop is home again from the Hat, where he has been running a skating rink.

V. W. Messenger made a business call at Doondale, Saturday.

There will be an elevator meeting in the schoolhouse next Thursday.

Lloyd Bentley who has been working out at Coalville, is home again.

Clint Garrison drove to Bow Island last week.

A number of our young people attended the concert in the Charles school Thursday evening.

As such beautiful weather followed the storm of Sunday, the people have again ventured beyond the bridges and are making neighborly visits.

William Paul, who has been occupying the winter months in Ontario, is returning to the homestead soon.

The men of Young's sheep ranch have been kept busy the last few weeks feeding the woolies.

John Wilkins of Minda, was through here last week.

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Gas Main will be Installed.

Messrs. Bartlett and Gransie, surveyors of Medicine Hat, were out last week surveying the route for the new pipe line from the municipal gas well into town. A blue print of the proposed route was received this morning. It shows that the line will run from the gas well situated in the north-west corner of Section 4, township 11, range 11, and run diagonally to the south-east corner of the same Section. From thence it follows the road to Coalville.

The total length of the line will be approximately 15,571 feet.

Advertisements will be inserted in various newspapers this week calling for tenders for excavation, laying of the pipe, etc., and it is hoped to get this important work in the hands of a contractor at an early date.

STRAYED—\$10 REWARD!

Iron-grey Golding, with white face, ears and tail, weight about 1200 lbs. Apply to H. C. Treadwell, Bow Island.

SEED WHEAT FOR SALE!

25 bushels of prize-winning Mauds white wheat, \$1.50 per bushel. 50 bushels No. 1, Red Fife at 80c. per bushel.

Apply to King, south-east quarter, sec. 14-10-10.

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SEE A. F. WERTS.

Fire and Accident Insurance.

Town Property and Farm Lands.

Office—Bell St. 200. Bow Island, Alta.

Open 12:30 to 2:30. Supper 5:30 to 7:30.

W. W. CORY.

Minister of the Interior.

No unauthorized publication of this advertisement will be paid for.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, may apply for a grant of 160 acres of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The Dominion Land Agency or Land Commission Agency or Land Agency for the district. Entry by the grantee is to be made by him in certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brothers or sister of himself.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon the grant, or payment of a sum of three years' rent, or a sum paid into a fund on a farm of at least 80 acres solely or jointly by the grantee or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$100.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-empt six months in the year. Must pay a sum of \$100 for a grant, and a sum paid into a fund entry (including time required to get each homestead patent) and culminates in a sum of \$1000.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot afford to pay the \$1000, may apply for a homestead entry (including time required to get each homestead patent) and culminates in a sum of \$1000.

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HOOT MYRTLE

Geo. F. Riddell, Prop.

Commercial Travellers' Home.

Best Brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

The Leading Hotel

In Bow Island.

Two Big Sample Rooms in connection.

Headquarters for Farmers & Ranchers

Rooms—\$2.00 a day.

MEAL HOURS.

Week Days—Breakfast 6:30 to 9:00. Dinner 12:30 to 2:30. Supper 5:30 to 7:30.

Sundays—Breakfast 8 to 9:30. Dinner 12:30 to 1:30. Supper 5:30 to 7:00.

Bow Island :: Alberta

We Are Still at the Top.



The Spring-like weather that is now prevailing naturally turns one's mind to the everlasting question of house-cleaning; and the house wife will be glad to hear of the Bow Island Mercantile Company's new and popular range of Wallpapers. In these, as in other lines, we are right at the top with an altogether new line of patterns.

Space will only allow us to extend to you a cordial invitation to visit our Store and make an examination of our new Wall-Papers.



Mary had a Little Lamb

'Tis Spring --- and In the Springtime

which she did not buy at our store, simply because we do not deal in Live Stock. We did, however, supply Mary with that pretty skirt and waist she is wearing, selected from a new and extensive line of Ladies' and Children's wear. All new goods of the latest patterns, and for quality and wear they cannot be equalled.

A Young Man's fancy lightly (and naturally) turns to thoughts of love. To make love, he must wear something better than last year's style and cut. The Bow Island Mercantile Company desires to announce that in its Gent's Furnishings it has everything to make a young man irresistible. New styles and patterns in Ties, Vests, Socks, etc., are being much sought after, and just recently there has been a big rush after our Men's Suits, the quality and price of which must be seen to be appreciated.

Bow Island Mercantile Comp'y (Opposite Post Office) Main Street

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British North America
70 Years in Business. Capital and $\text{£}7,781,000$.



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BUEDDETTE BRANCH

Times may be no better, or, "money no more plentiful, when the education of your maturing children becomes to make heavy demands on your purse. Open now, in the Savings Department, of the Bank of British North America, a special Education Fund, so that you will be able to give your children the start in life which you give them."

R. A. S. MAC LAREN, Manager
J. G. CARBON, Manager

I don't know much about the tariff, but do know how much when we buy goods at home we get the goods and the foreigner goes the money, when we buy goods made at home, we get the goods and the money."

—Abraham Lincoln

A Crest for Bow Island,

Bow Island has now a crest, the design for which was made out by Mr. Hart, a local artist, and given to the Medicine Hat. The crest represents the four chief industries of Bow Island, and contains a derrick (a family name in our oil and natural gas field), a side wheel boat, a building, a part of the plant of the sawer pine and the industry, a sheaf of wheat to represent the great space Bow Island girls in the "world's granary," and the head of a beaver to signify that "our eggs are not all in the same basket."



These four industries are the foundation upon which Bow Island is building its future, and it is only fitting, therefore, that they should be recognized in a manner that will give them the proper prominence.

The farmer, the stock-raiser, the manufacturer, and the derrick form a combination that any town should be proud of, and they will henceforth be officially recognized in this town as the basis for our future welfare and prosperity.

Our Constituency and the Redistribution.

Regarding the probable redistribution, in Alberta, the Lethbridge Herald, which has reason to be well informed, on the subject, says:

It will be bounded on the east by Range No. 20 on the north by Township 11, on the west by the present western boundary of the Medicine Hat constituency, which is the dividing line between Ranges 22 and 23 south to the St. Mary's River and thence following the river to the international boundary, and on the south by the Montana line.

This practically cuts the constituency in two. The eastern boundary just includes Bow Island and the western starts at Kipp; the northern just touches Tulip and Abbot Ridge.

Selz News.

The weather here isof the spring type. The many trees are putting out their leaves and blossoms. There is much breeding of hawks and other winged machinery, also cleaning and grading of seed.

George Gatz has taken steps towards purchasing a threshing outfit, and Joe M. Delbert is negotiating the purchase of a first class well-borer. George Gatz will have a profitable investment as the number of houses without wells is in the majority in this district.

Births last week.—To Joe M. Delbert a daughter. To Dave and Mrs. Gatz a son. To Steve and Mrs. Nicholas a daughter.

George Gatz says if the high birth rate continues the church and schools will have to be enlarged right away.

Steve Nicholas has found water at 100 feet. J. Gelbrecht is also in search of the necessary liquid.

Joe M. Delbert entertained quite a number of friends last Sunday.

The gophers are again in evidence, and gopher-shooting with twenty-yard cords is sport for the boys. One young fellow, Clarence Gatz, shot no less than 130 of the little pests on Saturday last.

Too Busy

to write an advertisement but

Not too Busy

to put you on to some Snaps in Real Estate



NOTICE TO STEAM ENGINEERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the examination will be held at the examination place by E. G. Hodge, a duly appointed Inspector of Steam Locomotives for the Province of Alberta. Monday, May 1, 1914, at 10 a.m. in each month, Court House, Bow Island, Alberta. Monday, May 1, 1914, (from noon) at 9 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of giving Engineers and Apprentices the opportunity of obtaining for Certificates under the provisions of "The Boilers Act," 1912.

Those who are not registered in the Province who may desire applying in the future, can obtain sample application forms from the above-named Inspector, and such application forms must be properly filled out and sent to the Commissioner or Justice of the Peace before an examination can be granted.

JOHN STOCKS,
Deputy Minister,
Department of Public Works,
Edmonton, Alta.

Beattie Brothers,
Main Street • Bow Island

UNION BANK
OF CANADA

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either of whom can make deposits or withdraw money when in town or when passing the bank. It is especially convenient if the husband is frequently away on trips, as it enables the wife to procure funds for expenses on her own signature alone.

Bow Island branch - J. M. Milroy, Manager.
Grassy Lake branch - A. B. King, Acting-mgr.
Winnifred branch - H. E. Sandy, Manager.

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\$10.00 in cash given away free on the last day of every Month.

Beginning in March there will be one chance given for every game of pool that is played. Winner takes the chances.

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Every table in the house will be good for free cigars. Our large Snooker Table we are going to run heavy on the Cigars and Prizes.

Half Price.-

Everything in the line of Cigar Boards, Watch Boards, and Suit Case Boards will be run off at half price. 10c Boards at 5c. 25c. Boards at 15c. This is the last we will have of this kind.

See our **\$700.00** English Billiard Table. The best in the city. The Oxford Table. The game that leads is Snooker. And Hoag has the regular Snooker balls. We don't play Snooker with the rotation balls. We also have the English billiard balls. And the rotation balls for playing many other games.

FREE EVERY AFTERNOON AND EVENING. -- Every afternoon at 3:30 when there are over six people in the house we will give away one box of Cigars. Every night at 9:30 when there are over six people we will give away one box. Over fifteen people we give away two boxes free.

Everything in first-class shape. Best light in the city. Good tables. Good sticks. And the right place for a Good time. No card playing, boozing, or fighting allowed.

HOAG'S UP-TO-DATE POOL PARLORS,
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